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NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For: **SUSTAINED RELEASE DRUG DELIVERY DEVICES
WITH PERMEABLE PLUGS**

Enclosed are:

X Declaration and Power of Attorney (unexecuted)
24 Pages of specification
1 Pages of abstract
7 Pages of claims
2 Sheets of drawing
X formal
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CLAIMS AS FILED

| | Number Filed | Number Extra | Rate | Basic Fee |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------|-------------------|
| Total Claims | 37 | - 20 = 17 | X \$ 18.00 | \$740.00 \$306.00 |
| Independent Claims | 6 | - 3 = 3 | X \$ 84.00 | \$252.00 |
| Multiple dependent claims, if any | | | \$280.00 | \$ -- |
| Assignment Fee | | | \$ 40.00 | \$ -- |
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